



# HOUSING & DEVELOPMENT SURVEY 2015

The Indianapolis Department of Metropolitan Development has prepared this survey to better understand how to invest community development assets. All answers are completely anonymous. Thank you for your time and attention.

## DEMOGRAPHICS

### What is your age?

- ☐ Under 12 years old  
☐ 12-17 ☐ 18-24  
☐ 25-34 ☐ 35-44  
☐ 45-54 ☐ 55-64  
☐ 65-74 ☐ 75 years or older  
☐ I prefer not to disclose

### What race do you identify with?

- ☐ American Indian or Alaska Native  
☐ Asian  
☐ Black or African American  
☐ Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander  
☐ White or Caucasian  
☐ I prefer not to disclose

### What gender do you identify with?

- ☐ Female  
☐ Male  
☐ Other  
☐ I prefer not to disclose

### What is your annual household income?

- ☐ \$0–\$30,000  
☐ \$30,000–\$60,000  
☐ \$60,000–\$80,000  
☐ \$80,000–\$120,000  
☐ \$120,000 +  
☐ I prefer not to disclose

### Are you of Hispanic or Latino origin?

- ☐ Yes  
☐ No  
☐ I prefer not to disclose

### What is the zip code where you LIVE?

- \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ I prefer not to disclose

### What is the zip code where you WORK?

- \_\_\_\_\_  
☐ I prefer not to disclose

### Are you or have you ever been homeless?

- ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ I prefer not to disclose

### Have you ever been incarcerated?

- ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ I prefer not to disclose

## HOUSING

### What are the top 3 things or places you love about Indy?

- ☐ Cost of Living/Affordability ☐ Friends/Family ☐ Travel/Commute Time ☐ Parks/Greenways  
☐ Downtown ☐ Arts/Cultural Amenities ☐ Transportation Options ☐ Sports  
☐ Universities ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

### What are the top 3 things or places you love about your neighborhood?

- ☐ Housing Type ☐ Cultural Amenities ☐ School Quality ☐ History/Charm ☐ Friends/Family  
☐ Parks/Greenways ☐ Safety ☐ Local Shops ☐ Walkability ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

### What are the top 3 physical challenges (needs) facing your household or family?

- ☐ Housing Conditions ☐ Undesirable Businesses ☐ Public Transit  
☐ Bicycle Infrastructure ☐ Community Centers ☐ Lead-based Paint  
☐ Absentee Landlords ☐ Range of Rental Opportunities ☐ Brownfields/Environmental Conditions  
☐ Parks & Recreation ☐ Pedestrian Infrastructure ☐ Unsafe/Abandoned Properties/Buildings  
☐ Senior/Assisted Housing (Aging in Place) ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

### What are the top 3 social/health challenges (needs) facing your household or family?

- ☐ Drug/Alcohol Abuse ☐ Hunger/Nutrition ☐ Homelessness  
☐ Mental Health ☐ Crime & Safety ☐ Childcare  
☐ Job/ Workforce Training ☐ Youth Activities/Programming ☐ Parks & Recreation  
☐ Life Skills Training ☐ Language/Cultural Barriers ☐ Unemployment/Job Opportunities  
☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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## HOUSING

### What are the top 3 physical challenges (needs) facing your community/neighborhood?

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|---|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Housing Conditions                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Undesirable Businesses        | <input type="checkbox"/> Public Transit                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bicycle Infrastructure                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Community Centers             | <input type="checkbox"/> Lead-based Paint                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Absentee Landlords                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Range of Rental Opportunities | <input type="checkbox"/> Brownfields/Environmental Conditions  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Parks & Recreation                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Pedestrian Infrastructure     | <input type="checkbox"/> Unsafe/Abandoned Properties/Buildings |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Senior/Assisted Housing (Aging in Place) | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____                  |  |

### What are the top 3 social/health challenges (needs) facing your community/neighborhood?

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|--|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Drug/Alcohol Abuse      | <input type="checkbox"/> Hunger/Nutrition             | <input type="checkbox"/> Homelessness                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mental Health           | <input type="checkbox"/> Crime & Safety               | <input type="checkbox"/> Childcare                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Job/ Workforce Training | <input type="checkbox"/> Youth Activities/Programming | <input type="checkbox"/> Parks & Recreation             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Life Skills Training    | <input type="checkbox"/> Language/Cultural Barriers   | <input type="checkbox"/> Unemployment/Job Opportunities |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____            |   |   |

### What amenities make up your perfect neighborhood? Check all that apply

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|---|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Small Scale Retail     | <input type="checkbox"/> Quality Schools | <input type="checkbox"/> Travel/Commute Time                             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Parks/Greenways/Trails | <input type="checkbox"/> Sidewalks       | <input type="checkbox"/> Arts/Cultural Amenities                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Places of Worship      | <input type="checkbox"/> Big Box Retail  | <input type="checkbox"/> Cultural & Public Amenities                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Community Gardens      | <input type="checkbox"/> Small Yards     | <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation Options (bike lanes, buses, etc) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Big Yards              | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____    |  |

### What type of housing would you like to see in your neighborhood? Check all that apply

- |  |   |                                       |
|--|---|---------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Single-Family Homes | <input type="checkbox"/> Townhomes      | <input type="checkbox"/> Apartments   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mixed-use Housing   | <input type="checkbox"/> Senior Housing | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ |

## JOBS & PUBLIC SERVICES

### With 1 being the most accessible and 7 being the least accessible, rank how accessible the following are to you and your family.

- \_\_\_\_ Grocery Store
- \_\_\_\_ Public Transportation
- \_\_\_\_ Quality Schools
- \_\_\_\_ Employment
- \_\_\_\_ Neighborhood (Proximity to live/work/play/care)

### What kind of industry or jobs would you like to see promoted in Indianapolis?

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